

# Senior Breakfast Launches Graduation Activities Here

## 40 Attend Morning Party; Many Special Events Planned for Night

Outstanding in this week's social calendar are the activities of the high school graduating class, who this morning wrote finis to school careers with the Senior breakfast in the cafeteria.

Table decorations carried out the Olympian theme with color scheme of teal blue and white, the class colors. Girls were attired in their pretty frocks with corsages of gardenias and the young men were garbed in their Sunday best and wore pink carnation boutonnieres.

The tasty breakfast menu was prepared by Madeline Urquhart, home economics teacher, and students in the home economics class. Covers were placed for 40. Following the breakfast, Miss Elizabeth Parks, acting principal, gave a short address and John Batovsky entertained with accordion music and played for group singing.

Committee in charge of arrangements included Pearl Lovelady, Hazel Fessenden, Lynne Boyd, Anneling Quigley, Jeannette Van Krallingen, Dorothy Hamman, Elsa Norman, June Nuckles, Betty McDougall, Evelyn Lawver, Dorothy White, David Figueredo, Bill Ross and Akige Shumatsu.

### MRS. JAMES BURCHETT HONORED AT PARTY

The James Burchett home, 1411 Amapola avenue, furnished the setting for a lovely party Tuesday evening, when 22 ladies honored Mrs. Burchett at a surprise post nuptial shower and presented her with a lovely gift.

At the party were Meses. Maxine Smith, Fan Wilkes, Nettie Babcock, Merle Youngken, Gertrude Halston, Daisy Watson, Maude Wakely, Olivia Lee, Mabel Williams, Alice Thompson, Eloda Barkudul, Lucille Lowellen, Marie Marsteller, Virginia Scott, Ruth Saunders, Bess Myers, Celia Young, Selma Goddard, Hallie Doan, Agnes Babbitt, Ella Robinson and Miss Corlista Reeve.

### WOMEN OF MOOSE HOLD TWO PARTIES

Torrance chapter, Women of the Moose, were entertained at luncheon and card party in the home of Mrs. Auguste Barnett, 2007 Andro avenue, Friday. Prizes were won by Mrs. H. Carr of Pittsburgh, Penn., and Mrs. Margaret Jones for bridge; Meses. Bertha Stevenson and Larry Benton in 500; Miss Annabel Smith and Mrs. Grace Layman in bunco.

Friday evening Women of the Moose honored two new members Meses. Louise Walker and Anna Carlson at a party in their hall 1951 Carson street. Membership committee was in charge of the social. Prizes in bingo were awarded to Mrs. Bertha Stevenson and Mrs. Zoe Dethlers.

### MOTHER CLUB MEETS AT FOSSUM HOME

Job's Daughters' Mothers Club will hold their regular business meeting at the home of Mrs. O. E. Fossom, 1621 Cota Avenue, Monday, Feb. 5, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Hugh Shultz will be co-hostess with Mrs. Fossom.

### MISSIONARY CIRCLE TO MEET TUESDAY

Women's Missionary Circle of Central Evangelical Church will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, February 6, at Guild Hall. Hostess for the day will be Mrs. Anna Burmeister and Mrs. Marie Benson.

### P.T.A. Honors Press at Annual Luncheon in Los Angeles

Six hundred attended the luncheon in Biltmore Bowl Tuesday when Tenth District California Congress Parents and Teachers honored representatives of the press and had as their special guests Dr. Vierling Kersey, superintendent of the Los Angeles city schools; Dr. Clarence W. Pierce, president of the Board of Education; Vincent P. Maher, assistant superintendent of schools; Mrs. E. W. Raith, publications chairman and Meses. L. S. Rounsaville and W. R. Goddard, past district presidents.

Mrs. Rollin Brown, district president, and Mrs. James K. Lytle, president of California Congress Parents and Teachers were the speakers.

Torrance Parent Teacher groups were represented as follows: Fern Avenue — Mrs. L. F. Watson; Elementary school — Mrs. E. W. Lock; High school — Meses. A. C. Golden, A. M. Dowell, I. C. Rous and T. R. Yoder, Mrs. J. O. Bishop and Mrs. William E. Jolly represented Gateway Council.

Narbonne High school was represented by Meses. J. L. Abbott and W. H. Schroeder; Lomita Elementary — Meses. R. L. Lewis and R. E. Moffitt; Orange Street school — Meses. L. G. Van Vorhis and E. P. Howe; Walteria — Mrs. Ethel Martin, Mrs. S. C. Murray president of Lomita-San Pedro Council represented the council.

Miss Birda Paddock represented the Lomita News and Torrance Herald.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS MRS. SHIELDS

The birthday of Mrs. W. F. Shields, 2004 Gramercy avenue, furnished the incentive for a surprise party in the family home Tuesday evening. Mr. Shields arranged the surprise affair and Mrs. Junie Doyle of Long Beach prepared and served the attractively decorated birthday cake.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. Wiese and Mr. and Mrs. Pigg of San Pedro, Mrs. Junie Doyle of Long Beach, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Broilair, V. F. Glidden, George D. Watson, Harry Dolley, Mrs. Minnie Mineck, Barbara Lee Watson, Karmee Lee Dolley and Happy Dolley.

### P. T. A. LADIES ATTEND COUNCIL

Mmes. J. J. Millard, Irene Davis, A. C. Turner, John Garner, C. W. Stevens and William Jolly of Fern Avenue Parent Teachers Association attended the Lomita-San Pedro Council meeting at Seventh Street school in San Pedro, Thursday. Torrance Elementary school was represented by Meses. Rufus Page, H. R. Lee, George Roos, and M. R. Gallimore.

### CONSUMER EDUCATION CLASS FRIDAY

Fern Avenue consumer education class meets each Friday in room 11 at 9:30 a. m. A number of field trips are planned for the near future. Anyone wishing further information concerning the class may consult the Fern Avenue school office.

### GRADUATION PARTIES PLANNED FOR TONITE

Tonight when Seniors receive their diplomas and are on their own they will celebrate in gala manner as has always been the custom. Interviews with a number of students reveal that parties will dance at the Biltmore, Wilshire Bowl and Topsy's, while some plan to see "The Drunkard."

### SPINSTERS PARTY PLANNED FOR TONITE

The Spinsters will journey to Pasadena this evening to attend the play "Father Malachy's Miracle" being presented by the Pasadena Community players. After the show the party of 17 will dine at a Pasadena restaurant.

### P. E. LADIES MEET FRIDAY

Mrs. O. J. Chicoine, 2108 Andro avenue, will open her home to ladies of the Pacific Electric Auxiliary for their regular meeting Friday evening, Feb. 2, at 8 p. m. All members urged to be present.

### EASTERN STAR MEETING TONIGHT

Torrance chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will hold their regular meeting in the Masonic temple this evening at 7:30 p. m. Stop brake trouble now! Have them adjusted for only 25c. See classification 99a.



LATEST IN PLAY AND FORMAL WEAR . . . These girls gave cameramen a preview of a preview of the latest in women's fashions which will be displayed February 5 at San Francisco's Palace Hotel during Spring Market Week by the San Francisco Mfgs. & Wholesalers Assn. Lucy Mae Randall, left, wears a one-piece play suit combining plain and striped cambray denim. At right, Germaine Hove models a striped ratine bodice with broad belt and slithery jersey skirt with V pockets.

### Esther Butler Installed As Prexy For W. B. A.

Mrs. Esther Butler will be installed as president of the Woman's Benefit Association for a second term at a closed meeting to be held in McDonald hall, 1951 Carson Street, Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

Mrs. Alice Schutrump, field deputy, assisted by the Inglewood Review will seat the officers.

Matilda Winters will be seated as first vice president, Jean Guyan, past president, Mary Freeland, recording secretary; Flora Wright, treasurer; Anna Sandstrom, financial secretary; Clemma Watson, chaplain; Anna Stadig, lady of ceremonies; May Howe, sergeant; Mable Weigand, musician; Edith Weiss, officer of the day; Alma Janes, inner hostess; Anna Bay, outer hostess; Sue Mason, color bearer; Hattie Schugg, second color bearer; Inez Reville, deputy; Nellie McConville, captain.

A few invitations have been issued to the installation, which will be followed by a social hour.

### PENNY ANNS MEET AT BEACH HOME

Mrs. Mickey Twyman, 308 South Lucia street, Redondo Beach, was hostess to the Penny Anns at their meeting in her home Wednesday evening.

Whoopie, a new card game, furnished the entertainment with prize for high score awarded to Lucille Rogers. A special meeting is called for Feb. 7, when the club will vote on four new members.

### BRIDGE CLUB THEATRE PARTY

Members of the "Thursday Evening Bridge Club" had an enjoyable evening Thursday, when they dined at the Biltmore Coffee Shop and later attended the stage play "No Time For Comedy" at the Biltmore theatre.

In the party were Meses. Juanita Thompson, Julia Cucci, Grace Harvey, Alma Smith, Eloda Barkudul, Maxine Smith, Bess Myers and Lillian Snow.

### SUB DEBS GUEST AT BUFFET SUPPER

A buffet supper at the home of Margaret Svensk, 1328 Amapola avenue, preceded the regular meeting of the Debonettes last Thursday evening.

Attending was the club sponsor, Miss Margaret Wood; and Phyllis Campbell, Regina Hornback, Ellen Adams, Marcia McQuaid, Eros Smythe, Martha Cavitt, Betty Jones, Jean Ormand, Virginia Hall and Margaret.

### Mrs. Woodman Feted At Party Friday by Hillman Lees

Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Lee were hosts at a party in their home 1023 Cota Avenue, Friday evening. The affair served as a courtesy to Mrs. Betty Neelands Woodman, who today resigned as cashier of the J. C. Penney store, where she has served for the past six years.

Guests at the party were members of the J. C. Penney staff and included Meses. and Mmes. Harold Smith, Harold Woodman, Ray Peer, Meses. Thelma Johnson, Leatha Wells, Vivian Grant, Mammie Bernard, Rowena Airey, Messrs. Charles Inglis, Ray Smith, Joe Gladwell and Master Bernard Smith. Mrs. Vilate Erickson and Jack Piper were unable to attend.

Games and music furnished diversion during the evening. Mrs. Woodman was presented with a lovely gift for her home and a personal gift.

### LEWELLEN'S FETED AT SURPRISE PARTY

A pleasant surprise was given Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowellen at their home 1307 Madrid, Friday evening, when friends gathered at their home with all the essentials for a party and presented them with a lovely gift.

The Lewellens recently redecorated their home and the party served as a housewarming.

Included were Meses. and Mmes. Carl Marsteller, James R. Wilkes, D. A. Murphy, Herb Robinson, J. J. O'Toole, Leonard Young and Mrs. Lon Ralston.

### MRS. HOLTON TO REVIEW LATE BOOKS

Mrs. Mark Holton of Long Beach, will review late books at the luncheon meeting of Torrance Woman's club, which will be held in their club-house, 1422 Engracia avenue, Wednesday, Feb. 7, at 12:30 p. m.

Mrs. Holton will review this month's second book on the selected list, "Kitty Foyle" by Christopher Morley. Mrs. W. J. Neelands will present the program. Mrs. J. W. Post will serve as hostess with Meses. Harley Haynes and E. M. Johnston receiving.

### MRS. DEININGER HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. R. J. Deininger, 1527 El Prado, entertained members of her bridge club at luncheon in her home Friday. Invited were Meses. Mildred Lancaster, J. W. Post, Grover C. Whyte, Charles Schultz, George Peckham, J. R. Klink and R. R. Smith.

### FOUR TONS OF PAPER COLLECTED

Four tons of papers were collected in the drive conducted by Elementary P. T. A. Tuesday. Room prizes were given the second and seventh grades.

Mrs. H. R. Lee, president of the P. T. A. was a special guest at the luncheon in the school Tuesday, when members of the faculty honored Robert Hill Lane, assistant superintendent of schools.

### MRS. MYERS HOSTESS AT BREAKFAST

Mrs. Bessie Myers, 1417 Post avenue, entertained at breakfast in her new home Wednesday morning. Covers were placed for Meses. Herbert Robinson, James R. Wilkes, R. L. Lowellen, Robt. S. Sleeth and the hostess.

### CLUB BREAKFASTS AT GOLF CLUB HOUSE

Mrs. D. A. Murphy, 2567 Sonoma avenue, entertained members of her bridge club at breakfast in the Palos Verdes Golf club this morning. Covers were placed for Meses. Dean L. Sears, J. B. Scotton, Michael Straszer, James R. Wilkes, R. L. Lowellen, Herman Mitchell, Robert S. Sleeth and the hostess.

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### DOINGS OF THE LEGION AUXILIARY

Bert S. Crossland Unit 170, American Legion Auxiliary, met for a pot luck luncheon and all day sewing at the home of Mrs. Olivia Lee, 1923 Arlington avenue, Friday. Ten ladies worked present and completed three bed jackets, which will be given to the veterans at Sawtelle.

Torrance ladies will serve as co-hostesses at the card party to be given at Sawtelle for the veterans Thursday, Feb. 8. Ladies wishing to attend will please call Mrs. Lee at 1086-J.

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